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Southern Marin Fire Protection District

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Debris Pile Burning Scheduled on April 27th -29th

Dear Resident,

Southern Marin Fire Protection District in partnership with Marin County Fire, Marinview, and Tamalpais Community Service District is preparing to burn 60+ debris piles around Marinview. The debris piles were left from previous years fuel reduction projects which resulted in the removal of large amounts of fire-prone vegetation. Due to steep terrain and access issues, it is not possible to haul and chip the material. It was deemed that a crew of trained professional firefighters from Marin County Fire - Tamalpais Fire Crew will handle the burning of the debris piles. Tamalpais Fire Crew will have the necessary tools, resources, and protective equipment to burn the piles safely and efficiently. The projected start date is scheduled for **April 27th** and the work will continue until **April 29th**. The date may change due to weather conditions and air quality control. The work will take place in the morning until mid-afternoon or until the piles are fully extinguished. Wildfire season is approaching, it is necessary to burn the debris piles and reduce the risk of fire before the season begins.

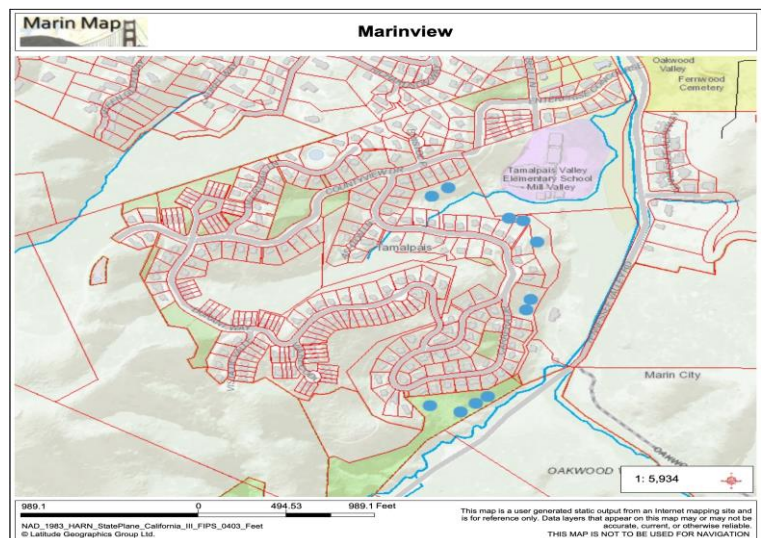
Considerations while the Tamalpais Fire Crew is working

- Please do not hike on or around the trails while the burning is taking place.
- If conditions become unfavorable due to wind, the burning of the debris piles will cease and a future date will be determined.
- Close windows and doors during the burn days.

If you have any questions regarding the burning process feel free to contact the Vegetation Management Specialist, Jesse Figoni at (415)730-9048.

Sincerely,

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*Blue dots are approximate location of burn piles